IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Harold Weisberg, Appellant-Plaintiff,	)	Misc._____
vs.	)	C.A. 2569-70
United States General Services Administration and United States National Archives and Records Service, Appellees-Defendants	)	

AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT OF MOTION TO
PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS AND WITH APPOINTMENT OF COUNSEL

I, Harold Weisberg, Route 8, Frederick, Maryland, being first duly sworn, depose and say that I am the appellant-plaintiff in the above-entitled case; that in support of my motion to proceed without being required to prepay fees, costs or give security therefor, I state that because of my poverty I am unable to pay the costs of said proceeding or to give security therefor; that I believe I am entitled to redress by having an appeal made possible.

I further have truthfully set forth below information relating to my ability to pay the costs of this appeal:

1. I am a writer who is presently without income and for the past seven years I have had no other employment and no regular, fixed income of any kind.

2. The cash I have is about a third of what is set forth in the attached Affidavit of July 1, filed in the District Court, and has not improved in any respect since then. A financial statement is part thereof.

3. There is no relative or other person able to assist me in paying the costs of this appeal.

I understand that a false statement or answer to any question in this affidavit will subject me to penalties for perjury.

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Harold Weisberg

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this
12th day of August 1971.

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Notary Public

Attachment to affidavit of Harold Weisberg

My total indebtedness is		$29,192.00
My assets are		
Property, assessed value	$26,280.00	
Bank accounts, checking and savings	872.09	
		$27,152.09

In addition to the above, we have an escrow account in which there is a small sum, but it is not our money, and I have a 1965 model Valiant with over 90,000 miles on it. The annual cost of servicing my indebtedness is approximately $2,700. We will shortly be making a small additional deposit in our checking account which, with it, will fail to equal payments now due.

I do have money owed to me but cannot collect it. Most of these accounts are insufficient to warrant the cost of collecting them. In one case where I was able to obtain an attorney, who has not yet filed, he will get 50 percent and I understand that in that jurisdiction the delay is about eight years after filing before hearing.

Harold Weisberg